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SUBJ: CANDIDACY OF SALVADORAN DR FRANCISCO AQUINO FOR
DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE FAO

ROME FOR USDEL FAO

1. DR CARLOS CODERO, DIRECTOR GENERAL, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS, HJH SPEAR-HEADED GOES EFFORTS TO PROMOTE DR FRANCISCO AQUINO'S CANDIDACY FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL OF FAO. HE RECENTLY COMQIEZMD A TRIP THROUGH THE CARIBBEAN IN THIS REGARD. HE REPORTED TO EMBOFF JULY 25 THAT GOES HAS SUPPORT COMMITMENTS FROM ALL LATIN AMERICAN GROUP MEMBERS AND HE IS OPTIMISTIC AQUINO WILL BE ELECTED.

2. CORDERO VOICED CONCERN THAT THE "EXTREMELY UNFORTUNATE" JULY 4 INCIDENT IN WHICH THE GOES REFUSED ENTRY TO SALVADORAN DR IVO PRIAMO ALVARENGA, AN OFFICIAL IN FAO'S LEGAL DEPARTMENT, FOR REASONS OF INTERNAL SECURITY, MAY AMONG OTHER REACTIONS DAMAGE GOES EFFORTS IN DR AQUINO'S BEHALF. IN THIS REGARD, FOREIGN MINISTRY UNDER SECRETARY CASTANEDA TOLD EMBOFF HE BELIEVES HE HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN GETTING ALVARENGA'S NAME REMOVED FROM THE "BLACKLIST". HE ATTRIBUTED THE PROBLEM TO THE MILITARY'S LONG MEMORY OF ALVARENGA'S UNIVERSITY DAYS ACTIVISM AND ANTI-MILITARY POSTURES, THE FACT THAT HE WAS TEACHING AT THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY WHEN IT WAS INTERVENED IN 1972, AND A REPORT RECEIVED BY SALVADORAN INTELLIGENCE THAT ALVARENGA

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